

Kimmel Released From Contract

Paw Paw School Chief Resigns

By STEVE McQUOWN

PAW PAW — Schools Supt. Albert Kimmel has been released from his contract by the school board here.

In an agreement completed in a publicly unannounced special meeting Thursday evening, the board approved paying Kimmel \$15,000 to cover the one-year unexpired portion of his current two-year contract, if he would resign now.

Kimmel, superintendent since August, 1968, confirmed Friday that, as his part of the agreement, he is resigning effective Aug. 1. He was contacted by this newspaper after rumors of the board's action were received.

The vote favoring the agreement at the Thursday night session was 6-0. Board President John O'Leary, who was on vacation, was absent.

The agreement calling for the \$15,000 payment and the resignation, emphasized that while there were "certain problems" in day to day relations, the agreement was "in no way caused by doubt or question as to the professional competence, moral character or integrity" of the superintendent.

The \$15,000 is about equal to the revenue that one half mill in property tax could produce.

In his letter of resignation, Kimmel wrote:

"... Let me extend to you my heartfelt thanks for an opportunity to serve your school district as superintendent of schools.

"It has been a very rewarding experience and a very gratifying experience for not only myself, but for my family also to have been a part of your community."

Kimmel, who had been rehired for two years by the board last August. His current salary is \$21,175.

Kimmel's contract had been under consideration by the board for several months.

According to a reliable source, the school board in

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RELEASED FROM CONTRACT: Albert Kimmel has been released from his contract as superintendent of Paw Paw schools, he confirmed late yesterday. This newspaper learned that school board took action to release him at a publicly unannounced special meeting Thursday evening. (Staff photo)

State Is Closer To Ending Era Of 'Dirty Linen'

LANSING, Mich. (AP)—A husband or wife who wanted out of a marriage no longer would have to "wash the dirty linen in open court" under a no-fault divorce bill passed Friday by the Michigan Senate.

The House-passed bill was adopted 23-12 and returned to the lower chamber for concurrence in amendments.

Sen. Gary Byker, R-Hudsonville, one of the most vocal opponents of the sweeping legislation, decried the concept as another exhibit of the extreme liberalism of today's society.

"I've never seen a divorce that didn't create more problems than it solved," said Byker, who also argued that no-fault divorce would hurt the

children of to-be-broken marriages. "A husband has a moral contract with his children to fulfill the duties of a father," he said.

But Senate Judiciary Chairman Robert Richardson, R-Saginaw, contended that "you don't make a marriage any better by making the couple live together."

"It can't possibly help the children," Richardson said, "to have them live in the atmosphere of a dead marriage (or) by requiring people to file fault divorce cases."

Sen. Robert Davis, R-Gaylord, said children adjust "10 times as fast as parents do" to a divorce.

The no-fault divorce concept already is law in various forms in at least three other states, Texas, Iowa and California.

The Michigan bill would eliminate the current grounds for termination of a marriage — grounds which no-fault backers say forces parties to lie, commit perjury and extortion in order to end the marriage contract.

Those grounds include adultery, physical incompetency at the time of marriage, imprisonment for three or more years, desertion, habitual drunkenness and extreme cruelty.

The bill would instead allow either a husband or wife to go into court and present evidence that the marriage simply has broken down to the point that it would be impossible to put it back together again.

Under the House version of the bill the evidence would have to be sufficient to convince a judge that the marriage relationship had broken down. The Senate changed that, however, to just presentation of evidence.

The bill was sponsored in the House by Rep. J. Bob Traxler, D-Bay City. Sen. Daniel Cooper, D-Oak Park, was the prime backer in the upper chamber.

—Here is a breakdown of the vote by which the Michigan Senate Friday approved a no-fault divorce bill:

Republicans for (10): Ballenger, Bishop, Davis, DeGrow, DeMaso, Lodge, Pursell, Richardson, Stamm, Zollar.

Democrats for (12): Bowman, Brown, Cooper, Faust, Faxon, Gray, Hart, Lane, Jack, McCauley, Novak, Rozyski, Young.

Republicans against (8): Bouwsma, Byker, Fleming, Pittenger, Rockwell, Toeppe, VanderLaan, Zaagman.



JOHN H. BRANT
Suspect Held



RICHARD DAVIS
Fired At

Democrats against (4): Cartwright, McCollough, O'Brien, Plawinski.

Absent or not voting (3): Republican Bursley, Democrat Fitzgerald and Youngblood.

'Cultists' Blamed By Lawyer

Californian's Defense Counsel

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Juan Corona's lawyer has theorized that ritualistic cultists or sexual deviates were responsible for the deaths of 25 Yuba City area fruit pickers.

"The killings were almost ritualistic—the pattern of the wounds. It could have been a sexual thing or a ritual," Richard E. Hawk said Friday.

Hawk was here to raise funds for Corona's defense against 10 counts of murder. He said the only "real evidence" linking his client to the deaths were two meat receipts bearing Corona's name recovered from two graves.

'Shoot-Out' Results In One Arrest

BY PAUL SHERRINGTON
Staff Writer

Nearly 20 area policemen surrounded a trailer last night in Berrien township and took John Homer Brant, 27, into custody without resistance after a shot had been fired at an off-duty policeman near Berrien Springs.

Richard Davis, 25, an officer with the Benton township police who lives in Berrien Springs, was shot at in his car at Smith's Service station, US-31 and Pokagon road south of Berrien Springs. The officer responded with five shots from his revolver, but no one was injured.

Brant was taken to the Berrien county jail where he was being held on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon.

Davis told Berrien county sheriff's police that he had stopped his car on US-31 before turning into the station about 1:30 a.m. A pickup truck nearly hit a stock car being towed by the officer.

The truck driver reportedly asked why Davis had not properly signalled for a turn. Heated words were exchanged and Brant then turned into the station followed by the officer.

According to Davis' report to investigating officers, Davis told sheriff's police that he tried to calm the pickup driver down and asked to settle the matter peacefully. The driver did not respond and entered his pickup, telling the officer that he was leaving but would return in a few minutes.

While he waited, Davis said that he expected trouble. He parked his stock car to one side of the garage and opened his car door to serve as protection.

Approximately 10 minutes later the same man returned in a car and fired one shot with a 22-caliber rifle, according to Davis. The officer ducked behind the door and then responded by drawing his revolver and firing five shots at the fleeing car.

Police from Berrien county, Benton township, Berrien Springs, Sodus township, Benton Harbor, and the Berrien county police reserves were alerted.

Brant's trailer in Berrien county on Smith road was located and surrounded a short time later.

The suspect offered no resistance and surrendered to Deputies Fred E. Reeves and Gary Methling.

The sheriff's department reported that the case is still under investigation and that a court date for Brant has not yet been scheduled.

Lake Temperature

The temperature of Lake Michigan at the shoreline today is 72 degrees.

Youth Dies In Cass Car Crash

Resident Of Berrien Springs

NILES — A 20-year-old Berrien Springs youth, passenger in a car police believe was drag racing, died early Friday evening, two hours after the vehicle crashed on a rural Cass county road.

Niles state police said the victim was Larry Washburn, 604 North Main street, Berrien Springs.

Washburn was a passenger in a car driven by Kathy Kenton, 16, of 519 Bond street, Niles. Troopers say she identified herself at the scene as Kathy Washburn.

The accident occurred shortly after 6:30 p.m. on Leet road, a half-mile north of US-12 in Milton township.

The death was the 11th traffic fatality on Cass county roads this year.

Investigating officers said the car in which the victim was riding was southbound in the north-bound lane when it left the road at a high rate of speed and overturned several times.

Troopers said the car traveled 500 feet before coming to a stop on the west side of the road on its top. Washburn was thrown from the vehicle, police said.

A witness told state police he had seen two vehicles stop on the road and accelerate rapidly



LARRY WASHBURN
Crash Victim

just before the accident.

The accident remains under investigation and officers were to confer with the Berrien county prosecutor's office as to possible charges.

Larry Washburn was taken to Pawating hospital in Niles and transferred to South Bend's Memorial hospital where he died about 8:40 p.m. of massive head and chest injuries.

The young driver of the vehicle, was treated for apparently minor injuries at Pawating hospital.

Larry Washburn was born June 3, 1951, in Alpena, and moved to this area in 1952. He was employed by Harbough Sunoco service station, Niles.

He graduated in May, 1970, from Andrews University Academy and was a member of Pioneer Memorial church at Andrews university.

Survivors include his mother, Mrs. Nettie Jewell of Berrien Springs; a sister, Miss Barbara Washburn, at home; a half-brother, Steven Jewell of Berrien Springs; a maternal grandmother, Mrs. Esther Sheldon of

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Attorney Asks Time For Answer

Delay Granted In Grievance Hearing

By ORVIN JOHNSON
Staff Writer

MARSHALL — A public hearing to air grievances against a well-known Water-vliet attorney was adjourned at his request here Friday until July 28.

James L. Colman was granted the delay by a three-man hearing panel of the State Bar Grievance board, an arm of the Michigan Supreme court.

Colman, who maintains an

office at 349 North Main street, serves parttime as the Water-vliet city attorney.

He asked the panel for additional time to obtain his own attorney and prepare a written answer to two complaints against him.

The complaints, according to William R. Worth, attorney for the grievance board, concern two probate cases: the estate of James Brant in Berrien probate court; and the estate of Walter McNalley in Van Buren probate court.

The nature of the complaints was withheld until the July 28 hearing in Kalamazoo.

After reviewing evidence presented then, the panel headed by Atty. James M. Sullivan of Battle Creek will decide on the validity of the complaints. If it decides action is warranted, it may approve a reprimand, suspension or disbarment. Or it may dismiss the complaints as unfounded.

Their decision may be appealed to the full, seven-man

State Bar Grievance board and to the Michigan Supreme court. This procedure was established in March, 1970.

Before that time, grievance action against an attorney was brought by circuit court judges after an investigation by the state bar.

Atty. Worth said that Colman would not have been able to present his own case yesterday, since he had not submitted a written answer to the complaints against him.

Colman advised the panel he did not know a written answer was required.

The delay was granted by the board during a session in the Marshall city hall on the condition that Colman deposit \$500 towards payment of expenses from yesterday's hearing.

Complainant in the James Brant estate was a brother, Edwin Brant of Pacific, Mo. the complainant in the second case was not revealed.



ATTY. JAMES COLMAN

Tomorrow's The Day For SJ Art Fair

Sunday at 10 a.m. the 10th annual art fair sponsored by the St. Joseph Art Association will open at Lakefront park in St. Joseph and continue until dusk.

An event that has shown phenomenal growth of art interest in this community and which has become one of the largest of its kind in the state, will offer for viewing and purchasing, a varied selection of quality work including oil paintings, water colors, drawings, portraits, ceramics, sculptures, limited edition prints, abstracts, mixed media, and handwrought jewelry.

Proceeds will go towards a projected art center for the area.

Rain date is July 18.

In addition to the art work on display, Ann Mills and Grover Heyn will provide music throughout the day, and a food booth has been set up.

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Law And Peace

Against the backdrop of the North Vietnamese phony offers at the Paris Conference, President Nixon has proclaimed July 21st as World Law Day. It marks the opening of the Fifth World Conference on World Peace Through Law at Belgrade, Yugoslavia.

All nations yearn for law and order, within their borders and in their relations to one another.

Presumably a law abiding world would be a peaceful one.

The trouble arises because each country has its own definition for law and order, and reacts to that aspiration much like those depending upon a government budget threatened by a reduction. Economy is something for the other fellow to practice.

Nixon's lawyer training causes him to emphasize a courtroom approach to international affairs.

In marking off the 21st, he said, "The great principle that the people are sovereign and the law they make is supreme has operated with such signal success in our country's history that Americans are turning increasingly to the compelling logic of putting it to work in the world community as well."

During his second term as Vice President, when Viet Nam was starting to draw Washington's attention, he declared courses of action more positive than massive military deterrence must be found to "remove the sword of annihilation from its precarious balance over the head of all mankind."

Despite numerous setbacks, notably World War II, respect for international law has advanced considerably since the First World War.

President Wilson took 1918's July Fourth as the occasion to state that the war then moving to a visible gain over the Central Powers had as one main objective "the consent of all nations to be governed in their conduct towards each other by the same principles of honor and respect for the common law of civilized society that govern the individual citizens of all modern states."

His brain child, The League of

Nations, which The Senate declined to accept, paradoxically intelligence on which we live," moved forward in its two most notable failures.

The League failed to stop Japan's grab of Manchuria and invasion of China in 1931 but for the first time in history the community of nations condemned aggression by a major power.

Similarly the League failed to halt Mussolini's Ethiopian conquest in 1935-36, but again for the first time in the record book did apply economic sanctions against the invader.

The uncertain Franco-British reaction to Hitler's first daring tactics shattered the League.

Its successor, the UN, has improved to a degree in areas where the League temporized.

Though Uncle Sam supplied the most muscle, it was a UN "police force" which brought about a stalemated settlement in Korea.

In 1956 while Russia and the U.S. applied the real pressure, it was a UN condemnation which forced Britain, France and Israel to withdraw their troops from the Suez canal zone.

Viet Nam is a U.S. exercise despite a token Australian force fighting alongside our GIs.

The UN has carefully avoided joining the excursion. Efforts of its Communist members and delegates from other countries trying to stick pins in Uncle Sam to condemn the U.S. as the aggressor have lost on several ballots.

Just who is the uninvited in Viet Nam depends from which side of the fence the name calling comes.

The present government is a makeshift arrangement of one which President Kennedy maneuvered out of office. Whether it could survive in an election not superintended by its troops and police is questionable.

The Hanoi government was the first to intervene militarily, originally by training and supplying local Communists and later by troop reinforcements. Hanoi justifies this irredentist action by saying the forerunners of the current South Vietnamese government stole the territory following France's ouster in 1954.

We're in South Viet Nam to check, if possible, Hanoi's swallowing the entire Indo-China peninsula.

The case virtually parallels Korea, except that nobody in high places has stamped an official seal to that effect.

Put in another way, international law is not at work in Viet Nam.

Vanishing Transient

Of the estimated four million or so unemployed in the United States, less than half are classified as belonging to the ranks of the transient workers, some of whom are usually employed at certain seasons and others are "drifters" who seldom hold one job for more than a brief period.

That there are fewer than two million transient workers in the U.S. today points up a remarkable change from the former pattern of industry. In an era when the total work force was less than half its present size, a much larger number of workers subscribed to the theory that to stay in one job long was deleterious to ambition and tended to make life dull and work routine.

Those with trades and others of no particular occupation migrated from state to state and coast to coast, seeing the scenery as they worked. Some seemed never to have difficulty in landing jobs, others fell upon occasional parlous days.

Various reasons are advanced for the decline in the ranks of transient workers. The one most often mentioned has to do with the more intricate processes of getting on a payroll. Business

Feeling Mutual

UN delegates have voted more than 2 to 1 in an informal poll to keep the world organization in New York, although condemning the city as "unsufferably dirty, rude, crowded, expensive, unpleasant and dangerous."

To which New Yorkers, beset by their own problems, have not exactly responded, "oh, goody"

Gordian Knot



GLANCING BACKWARDS

WHIRLPOOL STRIKE STILL UNSETTLED

Negotiations toward settlement of a nine-week old strike continued last night and this morning between Whirlpool

Corporation's St. Joseph division representatives and members of the negotiating committee of Local 1918, International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers.

A federal mediator is attending the bargaining sessions.

HENRY CATHCART

Inside Washington

WASHINGTON—In college days it seemed the freshmen who hated fraternity hazing most went on to become the sophomores who took the most pleasure harassing freshmen pledges.

That thought came to mind as a group of Washington newsmen talked informally about the curious and contradictory life of Dr. Daniel Ellsberg, the one-time dedicated hawk who now admits to handing out classified Vietnam war documents to The New York Times.

Ellsberg joined the Department of Defense in 1964 as a top-level staff member as the assistant secretary for international security affairs, the Pentagon subdivision most actively involved in Vietnam decision making.

For all his Harvard education, he was no novice to the arts of war. Indeed, he wrote his Ph. D. dissertation on the prestigious Society of Fellows program on theories of military decision making.

It was at Ellsberg's own insistence that he was sent to Vietnam in 1965 and those who observed him then remember he treated his service there like a Boy Scout glowing over his first weekend camping trip.

He actively sought to be in combat situations, and, while he technically was a civilian, he loved to make a show of the large collection of weapons he kept in his quarters.

A story veteran war correspondent Peter Arnett tells illustrates the child-like pleasures Ellsberg received from his early days in Vietnam.

Ellsberg asked the correspondent to take his photo as he posed with a Schmeisser sub-machine pistol. It is the kind of

shot a newsman take to humor desk jockey diplomats enthralled with the glories of the combat zone.

But the then 35-year-old Harvard intellectual took the photo very seriously and for weeks he pestered Arnett for not just one copy, but several.

Compare those actions by Ellsberg with his present campaign to stop the war and attain the glories never gained in Vietnam.

There is another curious side of Ellsberg's life. The year he received his B. A. from Harvard he married a Radcliffe girl whose father was a retired Marine Corps general.

Even though he had a medical deferment for a bad knee, he later was able to enlist in the Marine Corps and became a lieutenant and platoon leader through officers' candidate school at Quantico and Camp Lejeune.

In 1956 he even extended his Marine tour for a year because the Suez crisis made him think he would see combat if he stayed in.

While in Vietnam, his first marriage broke up. It was then that he began a relationship with Patricia Marx, a Radcliffe graduate who was a profound dove on the war.

It is the widely-held belief that political differences over the war impeded their romance and when Miss Marx visited him in Vietnam, they often argued vocally over U.S. policy there.

But Ellsberg—once the dedicated son-in-law of a Marine general—came around to Miss Marx's view of the war. They were married and a militant dove was unleashed.

BENNET CERF

Try And Stop Me

"This is the last time," vowed a prominent suburbanite, "that I take my son to Vermont for a winter vacation. At least, he taught me what a ski bum is. He fell down more often in the bar than on the slopes."

A dear and generally careful and thoughtful friend of mine recently let me in on a brief case crammed with important papers in a taxi cab and frantic at his oversight, inserted an ad in the classified column of the New York Times, offering a reward for its return.

Impatiently awaiting results, he rushed to the phone when it rang the next morning, predicting to his wife, "Somebody's found my briefcase." Sure enough the voice on the other end asked, "Are you the man who advertised the loss of your case in the Times?" "Indeed I am," answered my friend eagerly. "Then the caller continued, 'Wouldn't you like to order the same ad run in the Post?'"

QUICKIES:
An old pal of New York's



popular ex-Mayor Robert Wagner met him at "21" and told him, "I haven't been invited to Gracie Mansion since John Lindsay replaced you." "Think nothing of it," replied Wagner ruefully. "Neither have I!"

Do you know what to do ladies, if your new hot pants catch on fire? Get out the panty hose!

DR. COLEMAN

..And Speaking Of Your Health

Researchers have worked for many years toward developing "soft" contact lenses which have been found far more comfortable and which can be worn continuously if necessary.

These lenses are referred to as hydrophilic in nature because they have the unusual tendency of absorbing water, making them safer and non-irritating.

In addition, the soft lenses have been found in value in treatment of some diseases and injuries of the eye.

Many who have been unable to wear or tolerate hard contact lenses find the soft ones usable both for vision and cosmetic purpose.

Eye surgeons are enthusiastic about the soft lenses, which have passed the Federal Drug Administration's strict inspection.

The kidney machine, or dialyzer, used for patients with chronic kidney disease who develop the dread complication of uremia, will soon be available in every hospital large or small all over the world.

It is about time. The matter of "who shall live and who shall die" has been a decision which placed an awesome burden upon mankind generally and upon

doctors in particular. When the remarkable life-saving dialyzer was first developed about 15 years ago, it was virtually impossible to fill the demand for its use.

It was a pathetic reflection indeed upon our economy and our social growth that money simply was not available for the machines. This created the "who shall live and who shall die" decision in which one patient had to be selected as against another.

We have since broken through the financial barriers and, in a more mature manner, have found the money to create better machines and in sufficient quantity to save ALL the lives that depend on them.

A tiny instrument known as the "fiberscope" is a tube no more than 1/16th of an inch wide.

It now can be inserted into the kidney in order to see and film its condition, in health and disease.

It was created by Dr. Hisao Takayasu in Tokyo, and already shows great potential for better diagnosis of kidney conditions.

Dr. Lester Coleman has a special eye-care booklet available for readers of this column called, "What You Should Know About Glaucoma and Cataracts." For your copy, send 25 cents in coin and a large, self-addressed envelope to Lester L. Coleman, MD., in care of this newspaper. Please mention the booklet by title.



Dr. Coleman

JAY BECKER

Contract Bridge

South dealer.
East-West vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ 853
♥ 954
♦ 63
♣ 983
WEST
♠ KQJ2
♥ 62
♦ 10
♣ A76542
EAST
♠ A1074
♥ J873
♦ 84
♣ KJ10

SOUTH
♠ 6
♥ AKQ10
♦ AKQJ9752
♣ A

The bidding:

South West North East
1♦ Pass 2NT Pass
2♦ Pass 3NT Pass

Opening lead — king of spades.

Here is a well-played hand where South, in effect, hid six diamonds all by himself. He reasoned that there was a good chance of avoiding a heart loser, and that the only trick likely to be lost was a spade.

West led the kind of spades, East signaling for a continuation with his seven. But West very astutely shifted to the ace of clubs, not because he expected it to win but, because he wanted to tell East that declarer was void and that East should guard hearts, not clubs.

if declarer led out all his trumps.

This was very good thinking on West's part, since East might otherwise have thrown a heart if declarer had elected to run all his trumps.

However, East was never put to this test because declarer chose a different line of play to make the contract. South realized that if either opponent had four hearts to the jack that player would surely hang on to them — since declarer's hand was by now practically an open book.

Accordingly, after ruffing the ace of clubs, he drew only one round of trumps and then played the A-K-Q of hearts. West showed out on the third heart but could not ruff. Declarer then trumped a heart and thus made the slam.

South's method of play was clearly correct. True, he would have gone down had West held two trumps instead of one, but in that case the contract would inevitably have failed no matter what method of play he employed.

In effect, declarer proceeded on the basis that, if the heart jack did not fall when he fished the A-K, the defender who was short in hearts would also be short in diamonds. When this proved to be the actual case, South's efforts were suitably rewarded.

RUTH RAMSEY

Today's Grab Bag

THE ANSWER QUICK!

- 1 — Who wrote "Home, Sweet Home"?
- 2 — Did the rank of admiral in the United States Navy exist before the Civil War?
- 3 — What state in the Union was formerly known as New Sweden?
- 4 — Who was regarded as the first master farmer in America?
- 5 — Who wrote the first American dictionary?

WATCH YOUR LANGUAGE
SONOROUS — (se-NORE-es) — adjective; loud, deep, or resonant, as a sound; high-sown.

IT'S BEEN SAID

In order that people may be happy in their work, three things are needed: they must be fit for it; they must not do much of it; and they must have a sense of success in it. — John Ruskin.

BORN TODAY

The French Protestant reformer John Calvin established theological doctrines that had tremendous influence, particularly in the Puritan religion of England, Scotland and later America.

This 18th century religious titan (he was born in 1509) has made his presence felt in the church down to the present day.

He had an early background of humanism, being a student of Latin and Greek and familiar with the writings of Plato, Seneca and St. Augustine. Because he expressed radical

Protestant views in a public speech he wrote in 1533, Calvin was forced to flee Paris and the rest of France as well.

He set up his base in Geneva, where eventually he became a virtual dictator, strictly enforcing his doctrine and rules of conduct.

His greatest work is "Institutes of the Christian Religion." Calvinism recognized only the Bible as the authority in questions of belief and the source of knowledge.

Among the chief principles of Calvinism were the total depravity of man as a result of Adam's fall; the absolute power of the will of God and the superiority of faith to good works.

Other tenets include a belief in salvation by grace from God rather than by any act of the will of man and the Divine predestination of those to be saved.

All persons must lead holy and pious lives, acknowledging God's supreme power, to have a chance to be among the Elect who will be saved.

Others born today include Marcel Bruna, Finley Peter Dunne and David Brinkley.

Born on July 11th were President John Quincy Adams, E. B. White and John Wanamaker.

IT HAPPENED TODAY

On this day in 1890, Wyoming was admitted to the Union as the 44th state.

On July 11, 1955, the U.S. Air Academy was dedicated at Lowry Air Base in Colorado.

HOW'D YOU MAKE OUT?
1 — John Howard Payne.
2 — No.
3 — Delaware.
4 — George Washington.
5 — Noah Webster.

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Employment Rises

Berrien ADC Decline Continues

A trend that began last April of more Berrien county families going off Aid to Dependent Children grants than going on has continued through June.

Wesley P. Bowerman, Berrien social services director, reported the department registered a net

decrease of two ADC families last month by opening 125 ADC cases and closing 127. However, nearly 3,000 Berrien county families remain on ADC.

Bowerman estimated the downturn is largely the result of more employment, with more ADC household heads working in fruit processing plants

or other agricultural jobs.

April marked the first time in about a year that the county lost more ADC families than it gained. There was a decrease, too, in May.

Berrien Men Will Testify On Welfare

Four Berrien county men have been invited to Lansing to testify Tuesday before the House social services committee on a bill to create a one-year residency requirement for Michigan welfare recipients.

Berrien Social Services Director Wesley Bowerman confirmed that he and three others have been invited by State Rep. Ray Mittan (R-Benton Harbor) to appear at 9 a.m. Tuesday in Lansing to offer brief testimony.

Others invited to testify are R.J. Burkholz of Benton township, a real estate agent and member of the Berrien county board of commissioners; Rex Sheeley of Benton Harbor, a businessman and former member of the city commission; and George Welch of Benton township, a Whirlpool Corp. official and member of a steering committee that will study redistricting affecting the Benton Harbor school district.

The House social services committee, chaired by Rep. David Holmes (D-Detroit) is where the one-year residency bill has stalled as it wends its way through both houses of the legislature. The bill, sponsored by State Sen. Charles Zoller (R-Benton Harbor) already has cleared the Senate.

It ran into a roadblock last month when Atty. Gen. Frank Kelley held it is unconstitutional. The U.S. Supreme Court in 1969 struck down residency requirements for welfare recipients.



MARVIN RENDEL

New Club Officers Installed

Marvin Rendel was installed as president of the Benton Harbor Exchange club following election of officers this week.

Other officers installed for 1971-72 were: Ralph Frost, vice-president; Dean Jennings, secretary-treasurer; and William Dillingham, Todd Binsz and Donald Boerma, on the board of control.

Rendel, a resident partner in the St. Joseph accounting firm of Harris, Reames and Ambrose, moved up from vice-president to succeed John Lesch, the outgoing president. Frost and his father operate the Frost Funeral home in Benton Harbor, and Jennings is a Benton Harbor lawyer.

To Hike Duck Fee

WASHINGTON (AP)—The government is seeking to boost the price of migratory waterfowl hunting stamps from \$2 to \$5 and impose an 11 per cent excise tax on archery equipment to help preserve wildlife.

Flaugh Accepts Joseph's Request To Debate Issues

A challenge to public debate by Benton Harbor Mayor Candidate Charles Joseph to his two primary opponents drew immediate acceptance Friday from Candidate F. Joseph Flaugh.

But Mayor Wilbert F. Smith said he first wanted to see the telegram that Joseph said Friday he had sent to both Flaugh and Smith.

Mayor Smith said he did not receive any such message this morning and would withhold any decision on such a debate until he received the message and saw the particulars.

In a press release, Joseph said he was inviting his two opponents to a "public discussion of the issues." He asserted it is important "that all three candidates meet in free and open public session to discuss

Music From Films Will Highlight St. Joe Concert

Music from three academy award films will highlight the program to be presented 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, July 13, in the St. Joseph Municipal bandshell, by the Twin City Pops orchestra.

It's the second concert of the season. Director is Robert W. Brown, instrumental music director for St. Joseph High school.

Mrs. Dorothy Pallas, orchestra manager, said the third concert in the series will also be held at the bandshell, on Tuesday, July 27. All performances

are free and open to the public. Tuesday's program will include at least one selection from each of the following categories: contemporary, country-western, Broadway musical, motion pictures, the ballet and a Viennese waltz.

Three of the selections are from award-winning movies. Highlighted will be "For All We Know," 1971 academy award for the best song; excerpts from "The Sound of Music," by Rodgers and Hammerstein II and "Silhouette of Tara" adapted from "Gone with the Wind," movie theme by Max Steiner.

Other selections will be "Green Grass of Home," "Silhouettes," a melody of Jerome Kern melodies; "La Comparsa" by Ernesto Lecuona; excerpts from the ballet, "Swan Lake" by Tchaikovsky; "The January February March" by Don Gillis and Strauss' "Blue Danube."

The Twin Cities Pops performances are made possible by funds allocated annually from the Music Performance Trust fund of the recording industries. Mrs. Pallas said.

Mrs. Pallas, an accordionist and dance orchestra leader, said of the \$8,700 allocated for music performances for this fiscal year, over \$1,700 will have been paid for the services of professional musicians in the Twin Cities Pops orchestra this summer. Mrs. Pallas is also executive board member of local 232, Twin City Federation of Musicians. The local provides funds for music for a variety of events throughout the year.

Recount Worthwhile

LANSING, Mich., (AP)—A recount shows Lansing Community College is entitled to one extra mill for operational expenses.

The first count of the June 14 election showed the proposal losing by 16 votes.



DOZEN NEW FIREMEN: The Benton Harbor fire department has hired these 11 young men as new smoke-eaters and is seeking a 12th to bring the department complement to full force. Passage of a six-mill tax levy by city voters recently enabled the department to return to full strength. This class of rookies is largest number of firemen to be hired at one time in Benton Harbor, according to Fire

Chief Harold Gaddie. When 12th man is hired it will bring department strength to 35 firemen, four inspectors, a fire marshal and the chief. From left to right: (Front row) Richard Palmer, Alfred Todd, Glenn Oppenheimer, Robert Goff and Robert Raiff; (Back row) Michael McGee, Christopher Dasse, Gary Dills, Leonard Guess, Jr., Kenneth Peters, Dave Allen. (Staff photo).

FOP Drums Up Support For Benton Twp. Millage

Members of Fraternal Order of Police, Blossomland Lodge 100, have asked for the support of Benton township residents for the passage of extra millage

Monday to support the township's police and fire departments.

In a letter to the voters of Benton Township, the FOP lodge stated:

"On July 12, 1971, you will go to the polls to vote on a millage election. The purpose of this millage is to maintain the Benton township police and fire departments. As each and everyone of you voters are well aware, it is absolutely essential that these departments be maintained to provide proper and adequate protection for the residents of Benton township."

"The new millage is essential to maintain the present high standards and to continue giving the efficient service to the residents of Benton township. As the largest governmental

unit in the county of Berrien, the personnel being used to maintain the police and fire departments is very minimal.

"On the average it will cost the taxpayer pennies per day—not this a small price for such protection? Ask your insurance agent what your increase in

insurance premiums would be if we didn't have our township police and fire departments."

"We, the members of FOP Blossomland Lodge 100, ask you to help protect yourself and vote YES on Monday, July 12, 1971."

The letter was signed by Paul D. Farris and Louise Merrill, president and secretary, respectively, of the FOP lodge.

Eau Claire's Council Meeting Is Postponed

EAU CLAIRE — The regularly scheduled meeting of the Eau Claire village council has been postponed from Monday to Wednesday of next week, according to Margaret Krugh, village clerk.

SJ Band Will Go 'All Out'

It takes more than a little rain to scare off St. Joseph Municipal band fans.

So in appreciation for the loyalty of the fans who stayed with the band through the rain of last Sunday's concert and the warmth of the reception given them throughout Monday's two concerts, the musicians have pledged to do their best to make Sunday's two concerts better than ever.

Director John E. N. Howard said band members have gone out of their way to express their appreciation to the audience reaction.

Sunday's concert program will include two requests, "Havah N'agilah" and the theme song from the film, "Exodus."

Other numbers include a medley of Victor Herbert compositions and Leroy Anderson's "The Girl in Satin." In addition Chabrier's "Spanya Rhapsody" will add a little fiery rhythm to the program. In addition, several marches will be included plus three airs from England and R. Vaughan Williams' "Tolosa Marziale."

The concerts are presented at 2:30 and 7:30 p.m. each Sunday through the summer to Labor day. The site is the new bandshell on Port street overlooking the St. Joseph harbor.

Taking Tour

GANGES — Miss Maxine Atwater of Grand Rapids, a former Ganges resident, is on a tour of Greece and Turkey with her mother, Mrs. Mack Atwater, and her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Anderson. The Andersons and Mrs. Atwater have resided in Nigeria, Africa, the past three years.

Food Stamp 'Heartburn' Relief Due

The Berrien county social services director told Benton Harbor Mayor Wilbert Smith this week that the department is working to alleviate congestion at the social services food stamp center at 244 Pipestone street.

The center has been the target of criticism by merchants and city officials who want it moved.

Bowerman told newsmen it's impossible to move from 244 Pipestone because the office is under a one-year lease. However, he said he expects a yes or no shortly from an agency with which social services is negotiating to handle food stamp sales in the model cities area of Benton Harbor—Benton township.

This would cut congestion at 244 Pipestone, he said.

NEW OFFICES

In addition, congestion at Pipestone would be further cut by new food stamp sales offices located in other parts of the county, Bowerman said. These offices hinge on the availability of social services personnel to staff them.

"As soon as we have adequate staff," he said, "we are in hopes of having part-time purchase available to citizens of the Waterford-Coloma area, in the Bridgman area and in the New Buffalo area."

With enough staff, the part-time sales office in Buchanan—open two days a week—would be open fulltime, he added. The Pipestone office and one in Niles would remain the only two locations in the county where potential food stamp recipients may apply for certification of eligibility for stamps.

Bowerman said he is somewhat at a loss to understand the reported negative attitude of Benton Harbor merchants toward the Pipestone office because clients tell him they and their companions shop in Benton Harbor when they arrive here to obtain food stamps. Many come from outside Benton Harbor.

FIRE DOUSED

Trooper Gets Aid From 'Speeder'

SOUTH HAVEN—A speeding motorist turned Good Samaritan Friday when he helped a state trooper from the South Haven post extinguish a fire in the officer's patrol car.

Trooper Charles Nyström had stopped the motorist on Interstate 196, south of the M-140 exit, South Haven township, for the traffic violation. As the officer checked the driver's license, he noticed smoke coming from the rear seat of his patrol car.

The driver, who was not identified, helped officer Nyström remove the flaming backseat from the car. The fire was extinguished before South Haven firemen arrived.

No cause for the fire was determined. Trooper Nyström said he does not smoke.

The driver was issued a verbal warning and a "thanks."



JOHN L. RICE

SJ Man, 93, Gets Letter From Nixon

John L. Rice, 849 Kingsley avenue, St. Joseph, has received a special present for his 93rd birthday this weekend. It was in the form of a letter from President Richard Nixon.

Mrs. Nixon joins me in sending our best wishes and congratulations on your birthday. We hope you have a most happy and memorable day and that the coming years will always bring you joy and contentment.

The life of John Rice spans much the history of St. Joseph. Born in Hamilton, Mich., July 11, 1878, he came to St. Joseph in 1887 as the adopted son of Dwight Rice.

In 1896, Rice graduated from St. Joseph high school. He recalls some of his classmates, including Ogden Wells, St. Joseph industrialist, and the Rev. Russell Brady.

ATTENDED COLLEGE

After attending the Chicago Business College for one year, he returned to St. Joseph. He worked in the family business, Rice Brothers grocery and china shop, on the corner of State and Broad streets in St. Joseph.

He stayed with the store until 1933, then worked as a salesman for a short time before moving on to Comstock hardware as a bookkeeper. He worked at Comstock until 1968, when he was 90 years old.

In the last three years, Rice has turned his attention to reading and watching sports on television. He points out with pride that he is the oldest living member of the First Congregational Church of St. Joseph, where he has belonged for 72 years.

Napier Avenue Through Traffic Will Be Detoured

Napier avenue will be closed to through traffic for about two weeks from Colfax avenue to M-139, beginning Monday at 8 a.m. according to Heath Calvin, engineer-manager of the Berrien County Road commission.

The road commission official said Napier would be open only to local traffic until the installation of a culvert at Willow Creek near Ogden avenue, is completed. Napier will be closed again to through traffic later this summer when a grade fill is made at Willow Creek.

Construction on the widening of Napier avenue to four lanes from Colfax to M-139 is also expected to start Monday. John C. Verington Co., Benton Harbor, is the contractor. A passing lane will be constructed on the southside of Napier to enable through traffic to use the road during its widening, however.

During the next two weeks, sewer laterals from the south to north side of the road will also be installed, along with drainage pipes and the temporary passing lane, according to Calvin.

Calvin said the best detour route for motorists will be Colfax and Nickerson avenues during the next two weeks. Completion date for the widening of Napier avenue is Nov. 15 according to Calvin.



PLAN BENEFIT DANCE: Former classmates of Tom Bender, son of Mr. and Mrs. Farrell Bender, St. Joseph, who is in the burn center at Ann Arbor following a motorcycle accident June 13, plan a benefit dance for Thursday, July 29, at cafeteria at Lake Michigan Catholic high school. From left are Gene Pastrick and Jim Humburg, co-chairmen. The dance is being sponsored jointly by Humburg's Casino Productions and Lake Michigan Catholic. Principal Dornbos (left, standing) and Assistant Robert Schmid, check plans. Bender was a 1968 graduate of St. Joseph Catholic high school, having played varsity football and baseball for the parochial school. (Staff Photo)

Lawyers Seek Better System To Handle Indigent Clients

By BRANDON BROWN
Staff Writer
Berrien county lawyers, dissatisfied with the present system of appointments and payment for representing indigent criminal case de-

fendants in Berrien county courts, are being polled for opinions on a new, contractual basis for naming and paying such lawyers.

A Berrien Bar association subcommittee headed by Berrien Springs Atty. Donald J. Dick this week mailed questionnaires to the county bar's some 120 members asking if they are willing to contract with the County of Berrien to represent indigent defendants.

It also asks bar members what they consider to be fair pay for contract-basis lawyers.

"What we're attempting to find out from the bar is whether members might be interested in acting for and on behalf of indigent criminally accused on a contract basis," said Atty. Dick.

Bar members replying to a poll earlier this year indicated they were dissatisfied with the present system where circuit judges appoint counsel for defendants from the roster of bar membership and pay them flat rates.

"My understanding is that costs have been running quite high and we have the feeling that this (contractual basis) might be a cheaper, more efficient or better way," Atty. Dick said.

Questionnaires went to the bar's some 120 members Wednesday and results are expected to be tabulated in a couple weeks.

Atty. Dick, former president of the Berrien bar, said he had suggested a public defender system — funded directly by the county as a counterpart to the county prosecutor's office — as an alternative to the present one.

But explorations of the public defender system by Dick's indigent defense committee indicate it may not be as good as contracting for lawyers, he said.

Lawyers complain the present system of appointments and flat-rate payment fails to provide adequate compensation and sometimes even fails to cover overhead at an average per-case compensation of some \$200, Atty. Dick reported.

This week's poll asks lawyers:

— If they would be interested in contracting with the county to represent indigents.

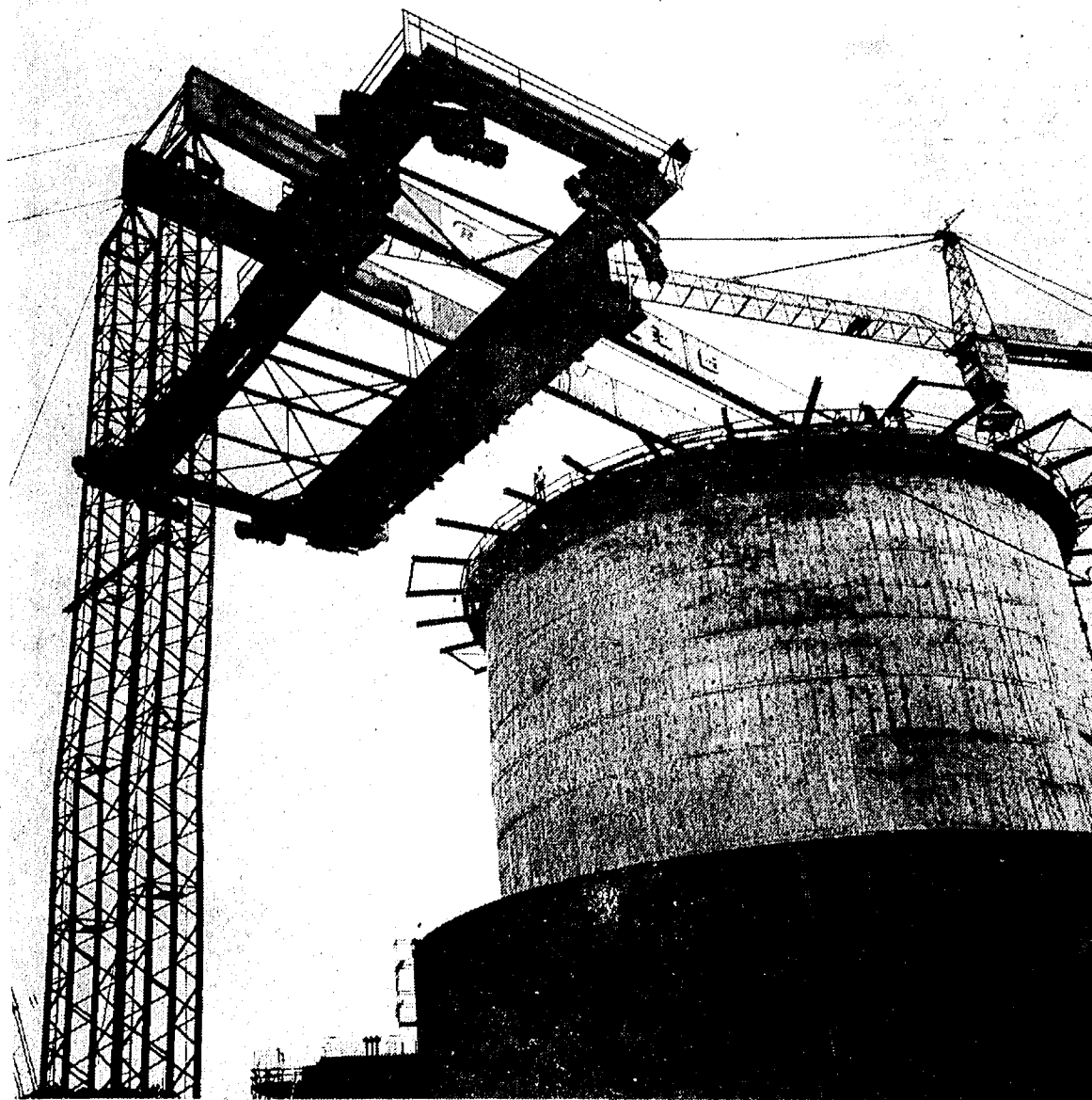
— What basis of pay — hourly, by day, by case or annual salary — would be most desirable.

— What fair pay would be for each of the above options.

— Which is the best contractual method: A chief defense attorney who hires assistants; a group of attorneys who form a firm that contracts with the county to represent indigents; or individual attorneys who contract with the county and are appointed as required.

— Whether the county should pay for defense-connected expenses such as investigation costs, medical fees and private polygraph tests.

Atty. Dick said his committee has explored various avenues of criminal case indigent defense over the past year with the assistance of County Commissioners Otto Grau and Nancy Clark and Judge Julian Hughes of Berrien circuit court.



PREPARE TO LIFT REACTOR: A mammoth four column gantry crane lifts another, 277-ton polar crane to top of 107-foot-high containment wall in preparation for lifting and installing nuclear reactor vessel inside the big "silo" at Cook nuclear power plant near Bridgman. The polar crane was set on rails atop the circular wall, to permit it to swing in a full circle around the silo when it positions the 470-ton reactor vessel deep inside the silo. Reactor

is first of two to be installed at the 2,200,000-kilowatt facility. The first reactor arrived via barge at plant's temporary harbor this spring and is reported to be one of the largest precision engineered components ever built for modern industry. More than 3,000 workers are engaged in construction this summer at plant. First reactor is scheduled to be placed in service in March of 1973, with second unit following a year later.

Lutheran High School

Leaders Named For Fund Drive

The Southwestern Michigan Lutheran High School association has announced the names of campaign leaders for its fund drive to raise \$500,000 towards a new Michigan Lutheran high school building in Royalton township.

The association has scheduled completion of the new high school for 1973 on a 50-acre tract purchased several years ago on Marquette Woods road south of St. Joseph. The school

opened last September with only a freshman class in the wing of the Good Shepherd Lutheran church at 1965 Broadway in Fairplain.

Pastor Henry T. Peter, association chairman, said the enlistment of campaign leaders from area Lutheran congregations allows the association "to proceed with its plan to build a high school that will meet the demands for secondary level Christian education for the

youth of this area."

Alfred Hinkelman, general chairman of the high school project, added: "It is a pleasing surprise to note the encouragement we are receiving from persons in the community other than those within the Lutheran movement. The need for secondary Christian education is quite evident and this community interest is sure to bear out our highest hopes."

The campaign leaders will

attempt to acquaint all congregation members with the need for a new high school, "and will make a thorough effort to personally contact each family," Hinkelman said. The appeal will continue until Sept. 3 with campaign headquarters located at St. Matthew's Evangelical Lutheran school, 671 McAllister avenue, Benton Harbor.

Assisting Hinkelman on the campaign staff will be: Eugene

Schlegel, basic gifts chairman, and Alvin Kroening, chief auditor, both from Benton Harbor, and women's education chairwomen Mrs. Rodney Brenner, of Benton Harbor, and Mrs. Robert Gruetzmacher, Stevensville.

The eight congregations and campaign chairmen involved in the funds drive are:

Grace Evangelical Lutheran church in St. Joseph; Larry Houghton, Robert Zienstra, Kenneth Schultz, Ronald Meier, and Wayne Merritt.

St. Matthew's Evangelical Lutheran in Benton Harbor: William Rauh, Edgar Ross, James Leng, Allen Jantz, and James Priebe.

Good Shepherd Evangelical Lutheran church in Fairplain: Martin Krieger and Michael Vole.

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church in Sodas: Fred Leitz, Sr., Arthur Schilke, Ted Froelich, Robert Tillstrom and Lester Harris.

Grace Evangelical Lutheran church in Eau Claire: Harry Schinske, Victor Friske, Ralph Pecher, Franklin Jackson, Ronald Manthe and Larry Zimmerman.

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran in South Haven: Dr. David Witte, Richard Stieve and Herman Houermann.

St. Peter and St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran churches in Dorr and Hopkins: Victor Arndt, Raymond Arndt, Gerhard Arndt, Thomas Hoewisch, Furne Zelmsra, and Chester Brenner.



INSTANT DIAGNOSIS: Mrs. Ella Rathbun, R.N. demonstrates teletype machine that allows the South Haven Community hospital to obtain an instant analysis of an electro-cardiograph test. At her left is the machine which is used for the test. Information from the test is relayed by the teletype to a computer in Kalamazoo.

South Haven Hospital Schedules Open House To Show Off New Unit

By TOM RENNER
South Haven Correspondent
SOUTH HAVEN—A public open house of the new intens-

ive care and coronary unit at South Haven Community hospital will be held Sunday from 1 to 6 p.m.

The \$27,000 unit is a four-room complex on the second floor where the pediatrics ward used to be located.

Construction of the project was financed by a one-mill tax levy approved by voters in December, 1969, for capital improvements and equipment acquisition and a \$15,000 grant from the Kellogg foundation. The unit is capable of treating seven patients according to Administrator Robert Traxler.

Previously the intensive care unit was located temporarily in regular hospital rooms. Since it was organized in February, 1970, the unit has treated 163 patients.

Two fixed monitors relay patient information to a nursing station in the unit that is manned 24 hours a day. The hospital also has a portable unit.

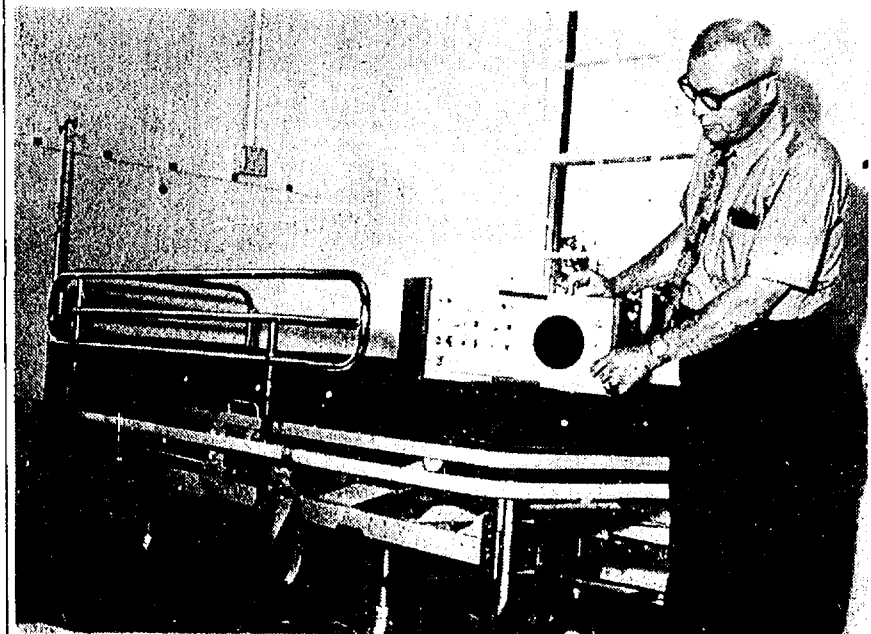
Other equipment includes a "crash wagon" which is used for immediate treatment of coronary patients as they are admitted at the emergency room.

The unit will be equipped with modern internal oxygen and suction equipment.

Included in the unit is a teletype which relays electrocardiograph information to a computer located at Bronson hospital in Kalamazoo. The computer provides an instant diagnosis of the cardiograph. This information is then relayed to a cardiologist in Benton Harbor and the hospital.



IMMEDIATE CARE: Mrs. Maxine Benacker, R.N. shows "crash wagon" which is used for immediate care of coronary patients at South Haven Community hospital.



CORONARY CARE UNIT: South Haven Community Hospital Administrator Robert Traxler shows one of the patient monitors that will be used in the hospital's new intensive care and coronary unit. A public open house of the \$27,000 improvement is scheduled for Sunday afternoon. (Tom Renner photos)

One Grower Cleared By Court; Second Charges State Snafu

A Hagar township grower arrested Thursday on a charge of operating an unlicensed farm labor camp said Friday that he made written application for a license last March and that health department inspectors did not respond to his application.

Leslie Schmuhl, Sr., said his camp has been licensed in all previous years and that he feels it meets all the requirements for licensing this year too. He installed showers, one of the disqualifying factors for a number of other growers, several years ago.

In the meantime, a similar charge made by county health department inspectors against

an Eau Claire grower was tossed out of court by District Judge Harry Laity. The judge dismissed the charge against William Frank, 64, Old Pipestone road, because it is "not a labor camp."

Schmuhl and Frank were two of three Berrien county growers arrested on complaint of the county health department inspectors Thursday when county and state health inspectors launched a "crackdown" on unlicensed camps housing five or more workers.

Schmuhl said that since his arrest, he has been advised by a State Health department inspector, Robert Kaukola, to

continue to keep his cherry harvest crew in the camp and to submit a new application. He said he then filled out another application form and again is awaiting the licensing inspection.

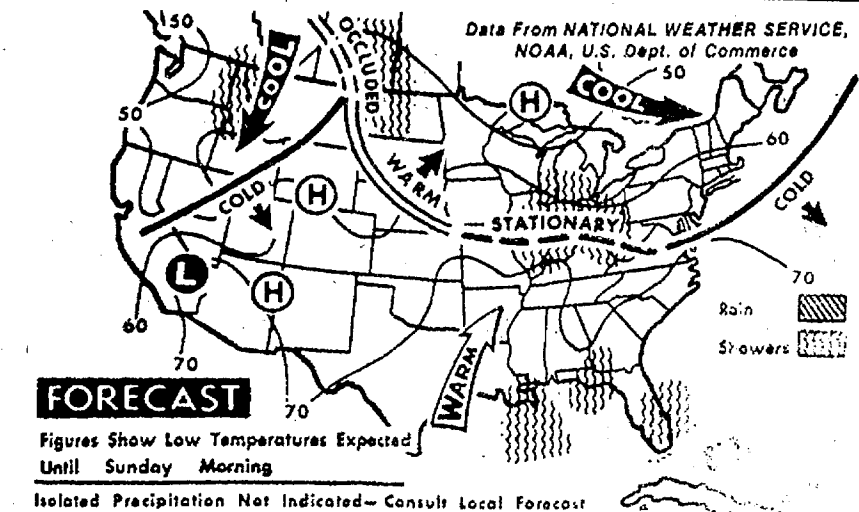
Schmuhl exhibited a copy of his application for a licensing inspection, dated March 15. He said he mailed the application to the State Health department at that time, but that he has been told since his arrest that the application could not be found on file in Lansing.

Despite a statement of migrant camp inspectors that they are interested in compliance with the law, not prosecutions, Schmuhl said two county health

department inspectors did not bother to inspect his camp when they visited his farm on July 7. They only asked him how many workers were occupying his camp. He said he told them about six or seven. The camp licensing act requires a camp housing five or more persons to be licensed.

Schmuhl said the county department inspectors identified themselves as Richard Ives and David Ladd.

Schmuhl stood mute on the misdemeanor charge of operating an unlicensed camp when he was arraigned in district court Thursday. He said he will demand a trial.



Today's Weather Map

WEATHER FORECAST: Showers are forecast Saturday in scattered parts of the nation. There will be cool weather in the Rocky Mountain states and warm temperatures in the South. (AP Wirephoto Map)

NEWS OF MARKETS

Volume Expected To Pick Up

Volume at the Benton Harbor fruit market is expected to pick up next week with sweet cherries and cucumbers being the main items, according to Market Manager Kenneth Slater.

Black raspberries prices paid by major area processors reportedly dropped from the original 30 cents a pound to 25 cents a pound this week, which could effect volume at the market.

The market was closed today for the regular Saturday holiday, but in trading Friday prices paid were:

Red Raspberries: 12 pt. flats, \$4.56, mostly \$5. Receipts: 1,434.

Sweet Cherries: 8-qt. flats, with stems, Schmitts, \$3.85, mostly \$3.50-\$4.30. Receipts: 995.

Cucumbers: Bu. cartons, slicers, U.S. 1, \$5.50-\$6.65, mostly \$6; Large and U.S. 2, mostly \$3.50. Receipts: 681.

Black Raspberries: 12-pt. flats, \$4.50, occasionally \$5.55. Receipts: 604.

Squash: 8-qt. cartons, Zucchini 75 cents-\$1.10, mostly \$2; Yellow \$1-\$1.65. Receipts: 529.

Blueberries: 12-pt. flats, film wrapped, \$4.60-\$4.75. Receipts: 243.

Beans: Bu., green, \$5. Receipts: 59.

Currents: 8-qt. flats, \$3.25-\$3.50. Receipts: 52.

Tart Cherries: 8-qt. flats, Montmorency, \$3.60. Receipts: 42.

Tomatoes: 8-qt. flats, plum type, \$5; 12-pt. flats, cherry type, \$4. Receipts: 14.

A total of 5,424 packages on 186 grower loads appeared Friday. Nine day buyers were present.

Local Forecast

WEATHER PICTURE

Southwest Lower Michigan—Tonight fair. Low in mid 50s. Sunday mostly sunny. High in upper 70s. Winds light and variable. Probabilities of precipitation: 10 per cent tonight and Sunday.

The highest temperature in the 48 continental United States Friday was 115 at Buckeye, Ariz.

The overnight low was 34 at Redmond, Ore.

The highest temperature in Michigan Friday was 87 at Detroit and Saginaw.

The overnight low in Michigan was 45 at Pellston and Sault Ste. Marie.

The highest temperature in Detroit one year ago today was 72; the lowest was 65.

The highest temperature since 1972 in Detroit on this date was 102 in 1936; the lowest was 51 in 1895.

The sun sets in Detroit today at 8:11 p.m. and rises Sunday at 5:07 a.m.

The moon rises today at 9:49 p.m. and sets Sunday at 8:43:50 a.m.

	High	Low
Alpena, clear	81	46
Detroit, cldy	87	46
Flint, cldy	84	59
Grand Rapids, cldy	84	59
Houghton, fair	75	53
Houghton Lake, clear	81	48
Jackson, cldy	85	62
Lansing, fair	82	58
Marquette, cldy	79	58
Muskegon, cldy	82	54
Pellston, fair	77	45
Traverse City, fair	85	52

South Haven Hospital

SOUTH HAVEN—Patients admitted to South Haven Community hospital in Friday included: Peter Yulke, Pullman; Howard Rigozzi, Mrs. Franklin Wilson, Mrs. Fanny Collier, Clifford Underwood, South Haven; Mrs. Wilma Raper, LaCota.

BIRTH

A girl weighing eight pounds, eight ounces was born to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Kuenzell, of South Haven, at 11:43 a.m., Thursday July 8.

INVESTORS' GUIDE 'Gold Bonds' Are Not Redeemable In Gold

By SAM SHULSKY

Q. I inherited two Southern Pacific 4 1/2 bonds of 1981. They are labeled "gold bonds." Does that mean I can turn them in for gold?

A. No. That "gold business" ended more than 35 years ago. You don't "turn in" bonds, anyway. They aren't due until 1981, and aren't likely to be retired before then. Interest rates being as high as they are.

WHEN TO CONVERT

Q. How does one determine whether it is advantageous to convert a debenture into common stock? Is it possible that sometime before the final conversion date it would be beneficial to take such a step?

A. Do a little arithmetic. If a bond sells at \$1,000 and is convertible into 40 shares of stock selling at \$20 a share, it is obvious that you won't gain by turning in \$1,000 of bonds for \$800 worth of stock.

If the stock is selling at \$30 a share, you can be sure such a bond is selling at \$1,200 or better. A switch to common, then, would be advisable only if the 40 shares of common paid more in dividends than the \$1,000 bond does in interest. (Assuming, also, that you seek maximum income.)

Generally, there is little to be gained from converting a bond into the underlying common EXCEPT (and this is a most important exception) as the deadline for conversion approaches or when the bond is called in for redemption. Then you MUST do it.

If the conversion privilege is expiring, and if the stock is selling above the conversion price, you must either sell the bond or convert into common. A bond selling at, say, \$1,500 because it may be exchanged for 50 shares of a common stock now selling at \$30 should NOT be held until the conversion privilege expires because thereafter the bond will be selling as a straight mortgage (minus conversion rights). As such it may command a market price of only \$1,000 or even less—depending upon its credit rating and the interest it pays. So if you continue to hold the bond after the conversion privilege expires you may face a sharp write-down in market value of the bond.

If the bond is to be redeemed, you must again do some arithmetic and figure out whether you'd better taking the cash redemption price being offered, or instead, converting to common shares. If you aren't on your toes then you may find you're accepting \$1,000 cash for a bond which, converted, could have brought you \$1,200 or \$1,500 or even more in common stock.

But until that deadline approaches you will generally find that your investment in the bond has a market value at least as great as the value of the underlying stock and, usually, more.

TAX EXEMPTS

Q. I have \$12,000 in savings which I am considering investing for income when I retire next year. What are tax-exempts?

A. They are bonds issued by states, cities, towns or their authorities (schools, water, roads, etc.). Interest paid by these bonds are exempt from Federal income taxes and in most cases from local state and city taxes.

Whether they are the ideal investment for you depends upon what your income tax bracket will be in retirement. Unless it will be upwards of 30 per cent, I think you could get better income, net after taxes, elsewhere.

TRY SAVINGS

Q. I have a substantial sum of money which I will need in 60 days. I hate to put it into a checking account where it will earn nothing for about two months.

A. You don't have to. Many savings banks and savings and loans pay interest from day of

Mercy Hospital

ADMISSIONS

Patients admitted to Mercy hospital the past 24 hours were: Benton Harbor—Thomas Bell, 425 Euclid; Mrs. Joe Brown, 301 Brunson; Mrs. James Brooks, route 1, Box 158; Regina Kelly, 141 North McCord; Mrs. Myrtle Deaton, 110 Rizzo court; Guston Groh, 2125 Ogden; Mrs. Willie L. Kyles, 437 Cedar; Hubert Washington, 244 Columbus; Antwanette McKinney, 718 Columbus.

Niles —Mrs. Fred Gracey, 1222 Jeanine.

Memorial Hospital

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Benton Harbor —Walter W. Mott, 701 LaSalle; Bruno Hettig, 1416 Britain avenue; Mrs. Frank H. Raeder, Route 2, Box 154.

Riverside —John R. Dickens, Box 28.

South Haven—Mrs. Milton C. Hill, 724 Wilson.

Stevensville—Harley L. Story, 4240 Roosevelt road.

Watervliet Hospital

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St. Joseph —Remigio Ramirez, 1403 Niles.

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Steel Firms Cut Back Production

By GARY W. GRAHAM Associated Press Writer

PITTSBURGH (AP) — A shrinking demand has forced layoffs and production cutbacks in the domestic steel industry and producers say the situation is getting worse.

All but two major producers report either layoffs, "personnel adjustments" or declining production.

Hardest hit are the country's two largest steelmakers, U.S. Steel and Bethlehem.

5,000 IDLE

U.S. Steel, the nation's top producer, has idled more than 5,000 workers in recent weeks, including 2,700 at its Youngstown, Ohio, works. Bethlehem laid off about 2,500.

The cutbacks and layoffs—without pay—began last month when an anticipated production boom fizzled.

Steelmakers had expected buyers to stock up in anticipation of a possible strike when contracts with the United Steelworkers union expire Aug. 1.

But foreign producers flooded the American market with record-level imports, much of it lower-priced products. Imports totaled about 1.8 million tons in May and 5.15 million tons the first quarter of the year.

NO CHOICE

"Our people had no choice then, than to tear down, starting with the additional facilities that had been put into production to meet the boom has never really come," one industry spokesman said.

"Let's face it," said a spokesman for one company, "we couldn't just keep people on the payroll at plants that were not producing."

Both company and union spokesmen scoff at a report that the layoffs are an attempt by the companies to scare the United Steelworkers into reducing their contract demands during the negotiations under way in Washington.

A spokesman at union headquarters called the report "ridiculous," citing the extensive costs involved in shutting down and reopening plants.

In addition to its Youngstown plant, U.S. Steel has announced layoffs of 2,000 at Braddock near Pittsburgh; 500 in Gary, Ind.; 400 at its National-Duquesne works in Duquesne, Pa.; and 250 at its South works in Chicago.

Bethlehem has laid off 1,000 at its Lackawanna, N.Y., plant; 725 at Sparrows Point, Md.; 400 at Johnstown, Pa.; and 300 at Bethlehem, Pa.

Also, according to a Bethlehem spokesman, hundreds of men at various other plants have not been scheduled to work. He said they technically are not laid off, but just weren't working this week.

These include 900 men at Lackawanna and another 200 at Burns Harbor, Ind. The spokesman said.

Republic Steel gave between 3,000 and 4,000 workers at plants at Canton, Ohio; and Buffalo, N.Y., what it called "an extended July 4th holiday" because of a lack of orders. But a spokesman said Friday those men may be recalled early next week.

Tenth-ranked Wheeling-Pittsburgh Steel Corp. announced cutbacks last month at its plants at Monaca and Allenport in southwestern Pennsylvania, a move that affected about 250 workers.

Two major producers who say they have not had to lay off workers are Arco and National Steel.

A spokesman for National, the fourth largest steelmaker in the nation, said, however:

"I suppose we'll come to the point of slowing down our finishing mills soon and an alternative probably would be a shorter work week. At this time, we do not anticipate any layoffs."



GUNMAN SURRENDERS: Gunman leaves St. Paul, Minn., home with arm around girlfriend led by St. Paul Mayor Charles McCarthy after gunman released woman and child hostage and gave himself up to police Friday. (AP Wirephoto)



RELEASED: Mrs. Majorie Schwartz of St. Paul hugs her 18-month-old granddaughter after she was released by gunman who held her and the child hostage in her St. Paul home for several hours. (AP Wirephoto)

ON NEW CARS U.S. Eases Rules For Seat Belts

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Department of Transportation eased Friday the seat belt system standards for new passenger automobiles delivered after Jan. 1.

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration said that as the result of petitions, proposed requirements have been changed with regard to the belt warning system's activation of both audible and visible warnings when front seats are occupied but seat belts are not used.

Under the altered rules it is no longer required that the warnings be activated when the transmission is in reverse gear or in neutral or "park" position or when the parking brake is on.

IN 'FORWARD'

The warning system must operate only when ignition is on and the transmission is in a forward gear.

Initially the proposed rules required that the warning system cut off as the occupant pulled out the seat belt to fasten it.

To avoid the possibility that a small occupant might not be able to shut off the warning system even with the belt fastened, the rule was changed to require activation of the warning only until the belt has been extended four inches or more.

As an alternative, the amended rule also permits shutting off the signal by fastening the buckle.

PASSIVE SYSTEM

If a passive belt system or other passive protection system such as an air bag is used, the amended rules require a release mechanism that either operate automatically or be subject to manual release at a single point accessible to the seated occupant.

The new standards have been proposed to improve safety factors for motorists involved in collisions or other accidents.

The new lap and shoulder belt system, to be required on new cars next Jan. 1, involve automatic locking or emergency-locking retractors at the out-

Hostages Released Unharmed After Five-Hour Ordeal

ST. PAUL, Minn. (AP) — A man fleeing police after a bank robbery held a woman and her young grandchild hostage in a St. Paul home and demanded air transportation to Algeria.

After five hours of waiting and negotiating Friday, the gunman surrendered and the two hostages were released unharmed.

The man had taken refuge in the house after a getaway vehicle wrecked.

Four gunmen held up the Western State bank and took an estimated \$40,000. As they fled in an auto, they exchanged shots with police in front of the bank.

The car later was abandoned, the men commandeered a city panel truck from a work crew and they continued the high-speed flight which ended when the truck collided with a station wagon.

Another gun battle broke out and one gunman was wounded and taken into custody as the four men attempted to flee on foot.

A second bandit was captured at the rear of the house while the other two held Mrs. Arthur Schwartz and her 18-month-old granddaughter, Anne Marie Looney, at gunpoint inside.

BABYSITTER

Mrs. Schwartz was babysitting with the child, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Looney of suburban Maplewood.

Police, sheriff's deputies, state highway patrolmen and FBI agents swarmed through the quiet, residential area of Minnesota's capital city and two helicopters hovered overhead with more officers.

Police said nearly all the loot was recovered, some of it picked up from the 1200 block of West Minnehaha Avenue, where the hostages were held.

One gunman, later identified by police as Warren Owens, 19, Kansas City, Mo., headed calls to surrender after about 30 minutes.

Radio Station WLOL, telephoned the home and the gunman said he wanted air transportation to Algeria.

"No deals," was the reply from Mayor Charles McCarthy, who directed operations from the scene.

Owens returned to the house twice with his hands handcuffed behind him, in a vain effort to persuade his companion to give up. The little girl was released on the second trip, in exchange for allowing a girlfriend of the remaining gunman to enter the house and talk.

The tot ran from the house with tears streaming from her eyes, her three-hour ordeal over.

A young woman was soon allowed to enter the house, and two hours later the gunman surrendered.

WANT'S DEAL

At one point, he offered to give up if he could first talk to a newsman.

"No way," was McCarthy's reply. "He can talk to the newsmen after the woman and gun come out."

Sgt. James Mann, a community relations officer for the St. Paul Police Department, and Alonzo "Lukie" Lucas III, an official of the Model Cities anti-poverty program, also made trips inside the house.

Mrs. Schwartz, about 50, said she was not sure what con-

Police Seek Second Man In Shootout

NORFOLK, Conn. (AP) — Police are seeking a second man in a shootout in which an 18-year veteran of the Norfolk Police Department and a suspected bank robber were slain.

The shooting occurred about 30 minutes after the Connecticut National Bank branch in west Norfolk was robbed Friday afternoon of about \$12,000. All but \$1,000 was recovered, police said.

Police Chief Francis E. Virgata said early today the second bandit was still unidentified and there were no definite leads in the search for him.

Sgt. Nicholas Ferrara, 45, was fatally wounded in the exchange of gunfire after the suspected getaway car spun out of control and stopped on Connecticut Avenue.

Cosmetics Said Infecting Eyes

AUGUSTA, Ga. (AP) — Many women are infecting their eyes with high concentrations of dangerous organisms that grow in eye cosmetics, a specialist at the Medical College of Georgia says.

Dr. Louis A. Wilson, an associate professor of ophthalmology, said in a statement Friday makeup such as eye shadow, liner and mascara can easily become contaminated with bacteria and fungi.

Laird Promises Cooperation

TOKYO (AP) — Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird told his Japanese counterpart today that the Pentagon will do its utmost to cooperate with Japan's self defense forces, government officials said.

The officials said Laird told Keiichi Maschura, appointed director-general of the self defense forces in a cabinet reshuffle last Monday, that the cooperation will be based on the Japan-U.S. security treaty.

LEGAL NOTICES NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ST. JOSEPH

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, that a special election to be held in the Township of St. Joseph, County of Berrien, State of Michigan, on the 20th day of July, 1971 from 7:00 o'clock a.m. to 8:00 o'clock p.m., Eastern Standard Time, the following propositions will be submitted to vote of the qualified electors of the township.

"Shall St. Joseph Township undertake the necessary steps to secure financing for a requisite engineering studies and construction of sanitary sewers to serve businesses and residents of St. Joseph Township on the east side of the St. Joseph River?"

"Shall St. Joseph Township undertake the necessary steps to secure financing for a requisite engineering studies and construction of sanitary sewers to serve businesses and residents of St. Joseph Township on the west side of the St. Joseph River?"

All qualified and registered electors of the Township are qualified to vote at said election on one of the above propositions.

This notice is given by authority of the Township Board of the Township of St. Joseph, County of Berrien, Michigan.

Bill Payne Smith
St. Joseph Township Clerk
July 2, 9, 1971

N.P. & H.P. Adv.

LEGAL NOTICE

TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS
To the Owner or Owners of any and all interest in, or Leases upon the Lands herein described:

TAKE NOTICE, that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof, at any time within 6 months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register of Chancery of the County in which the lands lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with 50 per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description without other additional cost or charges: Provided, That with respect to the purchasers at the tax sale held in the years 1938, 1939 and 1940 the sum stated in such notice as a condition of reconveyance shall only be all sums paid as a condition of the tax title purchase, together with 10 per centum additional thereto. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute Proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of Land in State of Michigan, County of Berrien: Lot 24 and easterly 1/2 of lot 25, Block 24, Alteration of entire lots 26 to 45, inc. Blk. 23 and entire Blk. 24, Michiana Sub-division No. 3.

Amount Paid: \$165.58. Taxes for 1966, 1967 and 1968. Plus all interest and fees as provided under Michigan law plus fees for the Sheriff.

David J. Spolin
30 Mohawk
Village of Michiana,
Michigan 49117

To Mrs. Bess Price last grantee in the regular chain title of such lands of any interest therein in appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.

July 3, 10, 17, 1971 H.P. Adv.

File No. 19742
STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN

Estate of LISA SHARON NICKEL, A THEODORE WALTER NICKEL, Jr. M-1093.
IT IS ORDERED, that on August 31st, 1971 at 10:00 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan, a hearing be held on the Petition of Sharon Lee Chan, for appointment of a guardian for the purpose of consenting to adoption of said minor.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule. (Seal) RONALD H. LANGE, Judge of Probate

Dated: June 17th, 1971
RYAN, MCQUILLAN & VANDER PLOEG
Attorneys for Petitioner
ADDRESS: St. Joseph Savings & Loan Building
St. Joseph, Michigan
June 26, July 3, 10, 1971 H.P. Adv.

File No. 23388
STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN

Estate of Frank Donaldson, Deceased.
IT IS ORDERED, that on August 31, 1971 at 9:30 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan, a hearing be held on the Petition of John Dewane, Successor Administrator, will Will Annexed for license to sell real estate of said deceased. Persons interested in said estate are directed to appear at said hearing to show cause why such license should not be granted. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule. (Seal) RONALD H. LANGE, Judge of Probate

Dated: June 24, 1971
ATTY. Peter J. Johnson
ATTORNEY FOR ESTATE
ADDRESS: 143 Pleasant
Benton Harbor, Michigan
July 3, 10, 17, 1971 H.P. Adv.

File No. 17281
STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN

Estate of Margaret Sweet, also known as Margaret Gertrude Sweet and Margaret G. Sweet, Mentally Incompetent.

IT IS ORDERED, that on September 7, 1971 at 10:30 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan, a hearing be held on the Petition of Edwin J. O'Brien, Guardian, for allowance of his Final Account, assignment of residue and his previous Account to Date filed December 11, 1969. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule. (Seal) RONALD H. LANGE, Judge of Probate

Dated: May 25, 1971
ATTY. Locke & Parish
ATTORNEYS FOR ESTATE
ADDRESS: 711 Pleasant St.
St. Joseph, Michigan
July 3, 10, 17, 1971 H.P. Adv.

File No. 14973
STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN

Estate of Lydia A. Brun Mercere Mental, by Incompetent.

IT IS ORDERED, that on September 7, 1971 at 9:30 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan, a hearing be held on the Petition of Fay B. Exer, Successor Guardian, for allowance of her Account to Date; and also her petition for appointment of a co-guardian.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule. (Seal) RONALD H. LANGE, Judge of Probate

Dated: June 23, 1971
ATTY. John P. Collins
ATTORNEY FOR ESTATE
ADDRESS: 5722 St. Joseph Avenue
Stevensville, Michigan
July 3, 10, 17, 1971 H.P. Adv.

File No. 25411
STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN

Estate of Terry Dean McPherson, Deceased.

IT IS ORDERED, that on September 28th, 1971 at 9:15 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims, and heirs will be determined. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Clyde G. McPherson, Administrator, Ridgeway Trail, Berrien Springs, Michigan prior to said hearing, and petition for Authority to settle claim for Wrongful Death and to Distribute Settlement proceeds.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule. (Seal) RONALD H. LANGE, Judge of Probate

Dated: June 23rd, 1971
William Spelman, Trella, Meek, Lagoni & Burdick
ATTORNEYS FOR ESTATE
ADDRESS: 434 Main Street
St. Joseph, Michigan
July 10, 17, 24, 1971 H.P. Adv.

File No. 25311
STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN

Estate of Wendy Lynn Teron, Deceased.

IT IS ORDERED, that on September 7, 1971 at 9:30 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on the Farmers and Merchants National Bank in Benton Harbor, Administrator of Benton Harbor, Michigan.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule. (Seal) RONALD H. LANGE, Judge of Probate

ron prior to said hearing.
Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule. (Seal) RONALD H. LANGE, Judge of Probate

DATED: June 22, 1971
Ryan, McQuillan & VanderPloeg
Attorneys for estate
ADDRESS: St. Joseph Savings & Loan Bldg.
St. Joseph, Michigan
June 26, July 3, 10, 1971 H.P. Adv.

File No. 25150
STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN

Estate of Anna E. Mead, Deceased.
IT IS ORDERED, that on September 7th, 1971 at 10:30 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan, a hearing be held on the Petition of A. G. Preston, Jr., Executor, for allowance of his Final Account, and for assignment of residue.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule. (Seal) RONALD H. LANGE, Judge of Probate

DATED: June 25th, 1971
ATTY. A. G. Preston, Jr.
ATTORNEY FOR ESTATE
ADDRESS: 600 Main Street
St. Joseph, Michigan
July 3, 10, 17, 1971 H.P. Adv.

File No. 25138
STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN

Estate of Kenneth N. Nichols, Deceased.

IT IS ORDERED, that on August 31, 1971 at 9:15 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan, a hearing be held on the Petition of Janet J. Schenck for probate of a purported will, for appointment of fiduciary, and for a determination of heirs. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule. (Seal) RONALD H. LANGE, Judge of Probate

DATED: June 18, 1971
TAYLOR & TAYLOR
Attorneys for estate
ADDRESS: 281 Wayne St.
St. Joseph, Michigan
June 26, July 3, 10, 1971 H.P. Adv.

File No. 19733
STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN

In the Matter of the Carl Harkshide, Minor.

IT IS ORDERED, that on August 10, 1971 at 10:30 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan, a hearing be held on the Petition of Joe Willie Delbert, for appointment of a guardian for the custody and care of the education of said minor.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule. (Seal) RONALD H. LANGE, Judge of Probate

DATED: June 17, 1971
EDWARD M. YAMPOLESKY
Attorney for Petitioner
ADDRESS: 501 Post Street
St. Joseph, Michigan
June 26, July 3, 10, 1971 H.P. Adv.

File No. 25339
STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN

Estate of Michele Ann Teron, Deceased.

IT IS ORDERED, that on September 8, 1971 at 10:00 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on the Farmers and Merchants National Bank in Benton Harbor, Administrator of Benton Harbor, Michigan prior to said hearing.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule. (Seal) RONALD H. LANGE, Judge of Probate

DATED: June 22, 1971
Ryan, McQuillan & VanderPloeg
Attorneys for estate
ADDRESS: St. Joseph Savings & Loan Bldg.
St. Joseph, Michigan
June 26, July 3, 10, 1971 H.P. Adv.

File No. 25156
STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN

Estate of Elizabeth Schuch, Deceased.

IT IS ORDERED, that on August 31, 1971 at 10:30 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan, a hearing be held on the Petition of Frank Schuch, Executor, for allowance of his Final Account and for the assignment of residue.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule. (Seal) RONALD H. LANGE, Judge of Probate

DATED: June 22, 1971
J.H. Dewaneberg
Attorney for estate
ADDRESS: P.O. Box 72
Benton Harbor, Michigan
June 26, July 3, 10, 1971 H.P. Adv.

File No. 25146
STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN

Estate of Mahol C. Hugan, Deceased.

IT IS ORDERED, that on August 31, 1971 at 10:00 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan, a hearing be held on the Petition of Inter City Bank, Successor Trustee, for allowance of its Account to Date.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule. (Seal) RONALD H. LANGE, Judge of Probate

DATED: June 21, 1971
Bisley & Bislick
Attorneys for estate
ADDRESS: 119 Poppleton
Benton Harbor, Michigan
June 26, July 3, 10, 1971 H.P. Adv.

File No. 25283
STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN

Estate of Victor Vance Baker, Deceased.

IT IS ORDERED, that on August 31st, 1971 at 10:30 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan, a hearing be held on the petition of Margjorie B. Baker, Special Administrator, for allowance of her Final Account.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule. (Seal) RONALD H. LANGE, Judge of Probate

DATED: June 29th, 1971
Attorney Philip A. Brown
ATTORNEY FOR ESTATE
ADDRESS: 600 Main Street
St. Joseph, Michigan
July 10, 17, 24, 1971 H.P. Adv.

File No. 25110
STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN

Estate of Beane B. Young, Deceased.

IT IS ORDERED, that on September 28th, 1971 at 9:15 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims, and heirs will be determined. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Jack Chaudrick, Executor, 3541 Russell Road, Stevensville, Michigan prior to said hearing.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule. (Seal) RONALD H. LANGE, Judge of Probate

DATED: July 1st, 1971
ATTYS: Taylor & Taylor
ATTORNEYS FOR PETITIONER
ADDRESS: 281 Wayne Street
St. Joseph, Michigan
July 10, 17, 24, 1971 H.P. Adv.

File No. 25411
STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN

Estate of Wendy Lynn Teron, Deceased.

IT IS ORDERED, that on September 28th, 1971 at 9:15 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims, and heirs will be determined. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Clyde G. McPherson, Administrator, Ridgeway Trail, Berrien Springs, Michigan prior to said hearing, and petition for Authority to settle claim for Wrongful Death and to Distribute Settlement proceeds.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule. (Seal) RONALD H. LANGE, Judge of Probate

DATED: June 23rd, 1971
William Spelman, Trella, Meek, Lagoni & Burdick
ATTORNEYS FOR ESTATE
ADDRESS: 434 Main Street
St. Joseph, Michigan
July 10, 17, 24, 1971 H.P. Adv.

File No. 25311
STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN

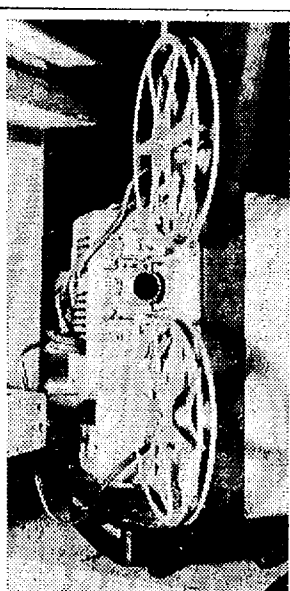
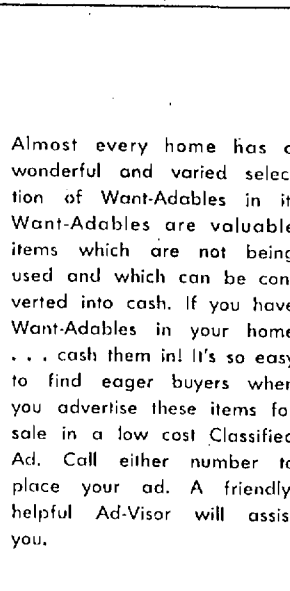
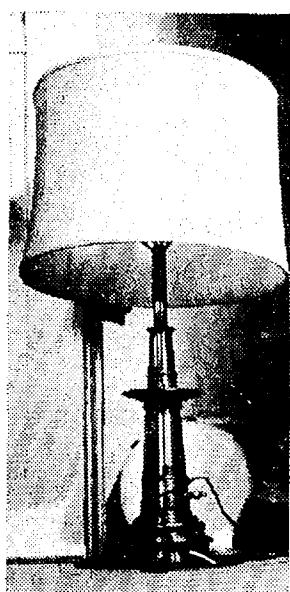
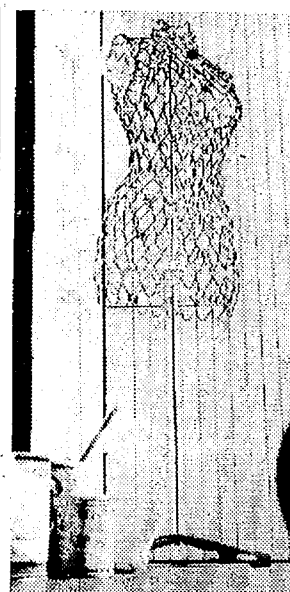
Estate of Wendy Lynn Teron, Deceased.

IT IS ORDERED, that on September 7, 1971 at 9:30 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on the Farmers and Merchants National Bank in Benton Harbor, Administrator of Benton Harbor, Michigan.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule. (Seal) RONALD H. LANGE, Judge of Probate

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